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For: VIDEO DECK, VIDEO DECK CONTROL METHOD AND
VIDEO DECK CONTROL PROGRAM RECORDING MEDIUM

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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A copy of the listed documents are attached.

The following are listed on the accompanying PTO-1449 and are in a language other than English:

Japanese Patent Publication No. 55-8641. English abstract is attached.

Japanese Patent Publication No. 56-44136. English abstract is attached.

Japanese Patent Publication No. 5-210955. English abstract is attached.

Japanese Patent Publication No. 5-101617. English abstract is attached.

Japanese Utility Model Registration No. 3066710. Partial english translation attached.

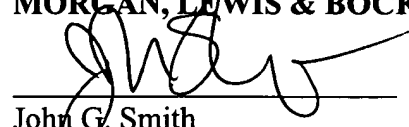
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